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TOWN OF BARRINGTON ANNOUNCES FREE ENERGY FAIR ON APRIL 24, 2010

Barrington, RI (April 6, 2010) – The Committee for Renewable Energy for Barrington (CREB) announced today that it will host a free Energy Fair at the Barrington Middle School at 261 Middle Highway on Saturday April 24th. The event is open to the public and will take place from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

“CREB is pleased to host this educational event for the Barrington community and beyond. If you’re interested in reducing your home’s carbon footprint, saving money on utility bills and/or learning about alternate energy sources, this Energy Fair will offer you a wealth of knowledge from area experts, all in one convenient location,” says Wind Evans, CREB member.

Representatives from regional companies and organizations involved with renewable energy sources, products and services will provide event visitors with information on wind turbines, solar and geo-thermal power, energy consumption as well as conservation through a variety of displays and demonstrations. In addition, National Grid will be available to discuss its current home appliance rebate programs and members of the URI Energy Club look forward to highlighting and showcasing projects in which they’re involved.

CREB is a committee that advises the Barrington Town Council on short and long term strategies to promote energy efficiency, thereby creating savings and reducing the environmental impact of town energy use through conservation and the use of sustainable energy resources. CREB will also provide education and assistance to the citizens of Barrington in attaining the above objectives. The CREB shall endeavor to reach out to other communities and organizations in the region to further its mission.

For more information, please visit, http://www.ci.barrington.ri.us/renewable_energy.php.

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